IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel all claims without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter and substitute new Claims 33 to 38 therefor, as follows:

1. to 32. (Canceled)

33. (New) An information processing apparatus comprising:

an obtainment unit configured to obtain a list of code systems supported by
a printer;

a designation unit configured to designate a font to be downloaded;

a determination unit configured to determine whether a code system of the font designated by the designation unit is or is not included in the list of code systems obtained by the obtainment unit;

a display unit configured to display the list of code systems obtained by the obtainment unit responsive to a determination by the determination unit that the code system of the font designated by the designation unit is not included in the list of code systems obtained by the obtainment unit;

a selection unit configured to select a code system from the list of code systems displayed by the display unit in accordance with a user selection;

a download unit configured to download a pattern of the font designated by the designation unit and configured to assign a code corresponding to the code system selected by the selection unit to the pattern of the font designated by the designation unit.

- 34. (New) The information processing apparatus according to claim 33, wherein the obtainment unit obtains a list of code systems supported by the printer from the printer.
- 35. (New) The information processing apparatus according to claim 33, further comprising:

a holding unit configured to hold a model name of the printer and code systems supported by the printer corresponded to the model name;

wherein the obtainment unit obtains a list of the code systems supported by the printer from the holding unit.

36. (New) The information processing apparatus according to claim 33, wherein the printer has a conversion table that contains character codes of Unicode corresponding to positions of character codes of respective code systems,

wherein the printer comprises a printing unit configured to convert character codes input from the information processing apparatus to a pattern of Unicode by using the conversion table, and further configured to print by using the pattern of Unicode.

37. (New) An information processing method comprising: obtaining a list of code systems supported by a printer; designating a font to be downloaded;

determining whether a code system of the designated font is or is not included in the list of code systems;

displaying the list of code systems responsive to a determination that the code system of the designated font is not included in the list of code systems;

accepting a selection of a code system from the displayed list of code systems in accordance with a user selection;

downloading a pattern of the designated font;

assigning a code corresponding to the selected code system to the pattern of the designated font.

38. (New) A computer-readable storage medium which stores a computer-executable program for causing an information processing apparatus to execute steps comprising:

obtaining a list of code systems supported by a printer;

designating a font to be downloaded;

determining whether a code system of the designated font is or is not included in the list of code systems:

displaying the list of code systems responsive to a determination that the code system of the designated font is not included in the list of code systems;

accepting a selection of a code system from the displayed list of code systems in accordance with a user selection;

downloading a pattern of the designated font;

assigning a code corresponding to the selected code system to the pattern of the designated font.